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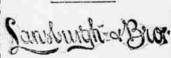
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BLOXTON—On Wednesday, December 2, 1886, at 4 6'dock p.m., at the residence of her son-in-law, W. T. Levi, 1952 Second street northwest, Mrs. Susan A. Bloxton, nged elgisty years.

Her remains will be interred in Spottsylvania county, Va., on Saturday, December 5, 1886.

5, 1896.

DOWNEY—At Georgetown College, Georgetown, D. C., on Wednesday, December 2, 1896, at 5 o'clock a. m., Wilnum, son of the late James and Catherine Bowney, aged twenty-nine years.

The relatives and friends of the family arrerspectfully invited to attend the faneral fram Trinity Catholic Church, Georgetown, D. C., at 9 o'clock a. m. sharp, Thurslay, December 3. Solemn requiem mass.

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trimmed in velvet and but to match, her bridal bouquet being bride roses. The bridescaid also were a stylish cloth cos-tume and carried carnations.

A reception at the rectory followed, and

A reception at the recent indowed, and early in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Bur-roughs started on a Northern wedding trip, after which they will reside in St. Mary's. Among the intimate friends who came to attend the wedding were Mrs.

Thomas A. Reeder and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. John Chesley, Miss Lucy Chesley, Miss Lalian Burroughs, Miss May Ballenger, and Mr. Thomas H. Fowler, all of St. Marys. Mr. and Mrs. Dent, and Mr. Palmer, of Baltimore.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Marguerite Hungerford Whitely to Mr. Frank H. Sloan, of Batt-more, the ceremony to take place at St. John's Church, in this city, on December 9,

at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Josephine
Peyton Whitley, of Prince George county,
and the groom the city surveyor of Balti-

The first meeting of the Young Ladies' Sewing Guild for the Children's Hospital was held today at the residence of Senatur

forman. Miss Ada Gorman being president of the society.

The young women interested propose to renew their excellent work of last season when they sewed most industriously for the baby ward of the hespital, furnishing that

institution with many dozen useful gar

ments. The social part of the affair is a meeting every two weeks, when a return of the work is made and the various nom-bers not as hostessat an informal breakf ist

Among the members of the society are

Miss Gorman, president, the Misses Dersey, Sargent, Chapman, M. Davidson, Philips,

Sargent Chapman, M. Davioson, Philips, Hargrove, Wyviii, Lewis, Morris, Fox, Baker, Violet Robinson, Hendricks, Estes, Smith, Maxwell, Minetree Stier, Gibson, Morgan, Johnson, Bowlle, Wheatly, War-ner, Kennedy, Wadsworth and E. Davidson.

Mrs. Routh has cards out for Saturday.

December 5, to meet Mr. and Mrs. Henry

Mrs. John Lynch and Miss Lynch, No. 2028 Hillyer place, have cards out for December 15, 4 to 7.

St. Dominic's Church was the scene

St. Dominie's Church was the series last night of a pretty wedding, the contracting pair being Miss Nellie E. Downey and Mr. Albert A. Vernon, both of South Washington, who were married in the presence of a large number of friends. The

altar was brilliantly illuminated and

adorned with flowers, and the imptial marches were played by Miss Margaret Bischoff, organist of the church. The bride, gowned daintly in white taffeta, with a bolero bodice trimmed with

chiffon and pearl passementeric, and carry

ing a bouquet of bride roses with flowing streamers of white satin ribbon, entered the church with the groom, being pre-ceded to the altar by the ushers, Mr. Thomas Hughes, Mr. Dennis Comnors, Mr. Will Powell and Mr. J. Bouregard, who

also served as best man. There were n

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

attendant maids.

or luncheon.

PRETTY DEBUTANTES MAKE THEIR BOWS

Mrs. Audenreid Gives a Tea to Teu of the Buds.

Then There Were Weddings and Other Functions Which Show the Season Is On.

The special events of today will be three notable afternoon teas. The first from 3 to 5 o'clock, is in honor of Miss Ward, by her grandmother, Mrs. John S. Ward; the second, by Mrs. Worthington in honor of her second daughter. Miss Helen Worthington, and the third, by Captain and Mrs. McJowan in honor of their daughter, Miss Anna McGowan. All these young ladies

Mr. and Mrs. Pilling were the hosts at Mr. and Mrs. Pilling were the hosts at a handsome dinner hast evening in bonor of Mrs. Andrews and her son, Mr. T. H. Andrews, Jr., who are the guests of Mrs. Pilling during their Washington visit. The friends invited to meet the Philadelphians were Mrs. Newbold, Mrs. McCrea, Miss Newbold, Miss Schmid, Mr. Low and Mr. Wooten. The decorations were in pink roses.

The debatantes still continue to hold firs pince on the social calendar, though the much talked of whist game at the residence much taked of whist game at the rescence of the Countess de Sibour systemay after-noon with the high tea that followed, and the several notable dinners complimentary to the Phinatelphia visitors divided the honors and the interest of the fashionable world with the fair rosebuds who are gracefully acknowledged as the bright particular stars at most of the fashionable gatherings of the present month.

Mrs. Audenried gave a very handsome uncheon at her residence on Vermont avenue vesterday complimentary to ten of the debutantes.

American beauties and the dising room charmingly decorated with delicate pink carnations. In addition to the usual bouquet carnations. In addition to the usual bouquet at each plate was a small box under the loose spray of carnations, which held an exquisite little fan of gauze and ivory, decorated in the newest Empire design.

This pretty souvenir was greatly appreciated by each of the young recipients, who were: Miss Vivian Sartoris, the Misses Irene and Louise Sheridan, Miss Gana, Miss Marie Sands, Miss Rose Wallach, Miss Christine Queen Owen, Miss Fox, Miss Asinton and Miss Blanche Emory.

Miss Marion Audentied was also present, being a house guest of the hostess.

The ten at which Miss Glover, daughter The ten at which Mass Glover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Glover, made her formal entrance into society was one of the prettiest affairs of the week and occurred at her parents' residence, No. 20 Lafayette square, yesterday after-

The drawing room and library beyond were hardsonely descrated in pink and red roses of varying shades from the deli-cate La France to the rich American Beauties, while the dining room was all in

skill between the Cranford Club, of this city, and what is known as Mrs. New-bold's whist team, of Philadelphia. The objects of the play were the trophies offered last season in Philadelphia and which are now held by the Cranfords. The players were Mrs. William Henry Newhold, Mrs. Rodman Wister, Mrs. Charles Fox and Mrs. Frank Samuels of Philadel-phia, against Mrs. Joseph R. Hawley, Mrs. Leech, Mrs. Pilling and Miss de Silbart. Victory perched upon the banner of the

Victory perched upon the banner of the risiting team and they are now in posses-sion of the trophics, which are four ex-puisite silver dishes, presented to the conuisite silver dishes, presented to the con-string clubs by Mrs. T. Holingsworth

Mrs. Leech of Massachusetts avenue was also the hostess of a notable whist dinact last evening in honor of Mrs. Rodnam Wister, Mrs. Samuels and Mrs. Charles Fox.

On Tuesday evening the ladies of the Washington club gave an entertainment Washington (4th) gare an entertainment at their house on I street complimentary to Mrs. Newhold and her companions, which was one of the most successful social events in the history of the club. The reons were heautifully decorated, and twelve tables were made up for compass whist, which was the amusement of the eventure.

evening.

The first honor for the couple playing cast and west, had to be played off between Mrs. Pilling and her partner, Mr. Andrews, and Mrs. Hawley and Mr. H. N. Low, resulting in favor of the latter. The top score of the north and south play was reached by Countess de Sibour and Mr. Bingbam. Supper was served at the close of the game, and all present declared the even-ing a most enjoyable one.

The marriage of Miss Harriette Beall Receder and Mr. James E. Burroughs, of St. Mary's county, Md. was one of the nuptial events of yesterday and occurred at St. John's Church, in Georgetown, at

30 o'clock. The bride is the niece of Rev. Charles

Buck, rector of \$1. John's, and the arriage took place from the adjoining story. church was prettily decorated in The church was prettily decorated in palms and chrysauthennuns, and the bridal masic was rendered by Mr. Percy Minnick, a friend of the family, at the organ. By the desire of the family the wedding was a quiet one, and only invited guests witnessed the ceremony. Messus, Boyden Buck and Claude Lainsford acted as ushers and led the bridal procession, followed by a flower girl in the person of a small cousin of the bride, who was clad in a dainty frock of white organide and carried a basket of pink carnations.

The only bridesmail was Miss Bessie Buck, swho walked alone, following the flower girl and imprediately preceding the bride, who extraordess.

Back, who walked alone, following the flower girl and immediately preceding the bride, who entered on the arm of her coasin. Mr. John Chesiey. The groom and his best man. Mr. Lewis Owen of Haltimore, met the bride at the altar and Rev. Charles Buck read the marriage service. The bride's gown was a handsome traveling costume of green and red novelty cloth

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The marriage of Miss Bessie Hancock Bohrer, daughter of Mr. George P. Boh-rer, to Mr. Elmon A. A. Cook, was solention of her guests by her sister, Mis-Kindleberger, and Miss Lindsey Poor. Miss Glover, who is one of the most attrictive of the large number of containg belles wore an effective gown of white unrelieved by nized at 8 o'clock last night at the Metr nized at 8 o'clock last night at the Metro-politan Presbyterian Church by the pastor, Rev. G. N. Luccock, D. D. Miss Bohrer, attired in white taffeta, trimmed with Fedora applique and peari passementrie, entered the church on the arm of her father, to the beautful tones of the Manueleker. any color but her bouquet of pink and the tea were Miss Ashton, Miss Blanche Emory, Miss Owen and Miss Blowell. Mrs. McGuire and Mrs. Johnson presided arm of her father, to the beautiful tones of the Mendelssobn processional.

The groom, with his best man, Mr. Robert E. Cook, met them at the altar, and after the bride had been given away in accordance with the ritual of the Episcopal service, the marriage ceremony was pera the dining room, and among the several number callers were most of the well-known society people now in Washington The delightful high tea given by the Countess de Sibour at her residence on Farragut Square, was preceded by a wints contest, which is the second trin) of skill between the Cranford Club, of this About the altar, which was decorated

About the altar, which was decorated in palms and potted plants, were grouped, beside those named. Miss Imegene Bohrer, a sister of the bride, gowned in lavender satin, trimmed with white lace, who acted as maid of honor, and the ushers, Messrs. W. Pinckney Walker, W. Mead Halham, Clifford L. Hogan, and Harry Prentiss Cook, a brother of the groom. During the service the organist, Miss Minnie Bailey, played, plantssino, Annie Laurie, and the played, plantssimo, Annie Laurie, and the wedding party left the church to the Lot engrin march

At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Cook tendered a reception to their friends at the home of the bride's father. No. 326 Virginia avenue southeast, previous to removing to their new home, at 713 Fourth street southeast. The couple were the recipients of many

very beautiful gifts.

Mrs. Madison Ballinger, of 1303 Clifton treet, gave the first of a series of dinner at her home on Friday evening.

Mrs. Mary May Tobin has given up he

An enjoyable straw ride was given las night by Mr. George Ruppert to his farm near Brightwood. Among those invited on the trip were: Bernard Ruppert, George Lehman, Lewis Kuppert, Andrew Glynn, Lewis Mathershead, John Bligh, Wiltiam F. Nonck, and Misses Maggle Conners, Mary Conway, Lizzie Corrigan, Fannie Howson Jennie Ward, Katle Hudson.

BUDAPEST TO ANTWERP.

Mrs. Brinton Gives the First of Her Series of Lectures.

"Bodapest to Antwerp," the first of the two illustrated lectures prepared by Mrs. E. S. Brinton from material gathered dur-ing her trip abroad last summer, was de-Father before an audience that evidenced its commendation of the speaker and her subject by frequent and appreciative ap-

As delegate to the International Peace Congress at Budapest, and to the Woman's Congress at Berlin, Mrs. Brinton was en-abled to put herself in touch with the abled to put herself in touch with the people of German-Europe, and her vivid descriptions, aided by a number of beauti-ful views, illustrative of the country and its customs, gave her listeners a tangible understanding of the men and women of that far off country and of how they dre and live.

The second and last lecture, "Budapest to Antwerp," will be given tonight at the same hour and place.

ROCKVILLE.

A dance was given Tuesday night under the auspices of the young men of Poolesville. Among those present were: Misses Anna Poole, Mamie Poole, Carrie Williams, Mary Williams, Betty Williams, Mary Williams, Betty Williams, Mary Brewer, Lude Brewer, Norlie Brewer, Dora Hall, Beckle Hall, Ester Hall, Ella Welsh, Mamie Davis, Julia, Maggie, Daisy Allautt, Maggie Dawson, Ema Pa wson, Mary and Hortense Dorsey, Eloise Wootten, Jesse Condy, and Miss Conley, Messrs Wallace Poole, Will Williams, O. Williams, Benjamin White, Norman and Turner Wootten, Joseph and Walter Pyles, Wickes Jones, Walter Williams, Daval and Alcoe Chambers, Mort Hall, Reynolds Nicholson, Dr. Gene Jones, of Poolesville, Harry Dawson and Ralph Jones, of Rockville, Ramsbury, Clarence Dorby, Claude Allnutt, and Lawrence Allnutt, of Dawsonville, George Rrewer, Bealsville, The chaperons were: Mrs. Edgar Wootten and Mrs. Richard Pool6.

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SURE ENOUGH BARON SUED FOR DIVORCE

Mme. Von Gallwitz Has a Long List of Co-respondents.

Both Are of Aristocratic Lineage Eloped and Now Live in This Country.

New York, Dec. 2.-Baron Herman voi Galiwitz, who, it may be worth mentioning in these days of varied deception, is a veritable baron, is to appear as defendant in a divorce sult in the supreme court nex month,

The baron's wife. Josephine von Gallwitz who is a daughter of a member of the Ger-man imperial household, is suing him for an absolute divorce on statutory grounds. She names Miss Emma Dudley, actress, as the coner offender against her comestic felicity But Miss Dudley has plenty of company. Six other co-respondents are mentioned. Another co-respondent named more speci-fically is Mass Bolds F. Another co-respondent named more speci-fically is Miss Helen Krickel, formerly of

No. 42 West Nucty-fourth street. Mis Kricker's letters to the baron are to figure Herman L. Roth, Mme, von Gallwitz's counsel, has more than a hundred letters from these women to the taron, some of bem containing extravagant projectations of affection and others upbraining him for

of affection and others upbraining him for his attentions to other women.

Baron von Gallwitz is thirty years old and the son of the laston of the same name, who, Mr. Eo beaus, superminent in German public life and a member of the Reichstag. Young you Gallwitz was always a spendifirift, and when he fell in love with Josephine von Waldon, whose fauler, Baren you Waldon, was master of the horse to the imperial household, the Egron von Waldon, was master of the horse to Waldon flowned on his suit. Earon von Gallwitz the eider approved of the match, blinking that the marriage might cause his son to settle down.

The young couple cloped from Ectin a little more than two years ago, and were married in Derroit on September 20, 1894. Two months later you Gallwitz received a etter from his father advising him to come ome and seek reconciliation with hi The ceremony was performed by the pastor of St. Dominic's, Rev. Father Kent.

A general reception from 7 to 11 followed at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ellen Downey, after which Mr. and Mrs. Vernon went directly to their own home, No. 354 I street southwest.

Von Galiwitz sailed for Europe, leaving his wife in retroit, on he never no as a as Germany. He stopped in Landon, in tending to stay only a few days, and there fending to stay only a few days, and there fell in with Miss Emma-Dudley, an actress, who was then playing with an American company at the Lyceum Theater. He lingered so long in London that his wise became anxious, and cabled to him to return to her. He wrote back that he was able to travel. In Line 1505, Mass above, the contract of the line of to travel. In Jane, 1895, Mme. von Gallwitz went to London and found him in

was effected and they returned to America exhausted, and Paron von Waldon wa

exampsed, and faron von walden was still obdurate. Baron von Gallwitz, the eider, had heard of his son's London escapade and refused to supply him with money unless h returned to Germany and settled down He had met Miss Dudley again in New York however, according to his wife's state-ments, and he refused to go and obtained employment on a German newspaper in Brooklyn.

Suit was begun by his wife about six months ago and Von Gallwitz was order-ed to pay \$500 counselfees and \$25 a week dimony. He promptly disappeared, and his wife's lawyers are now trying to locate him. They have heard that he was seen lately in Key West, and have received let

lately in Key West, and have received let-ters from him from different points in Florida, offering to compromise. All these offers have been refused.

Mine von Gallwitz is now living in West Forty-fifth street, near Fifth avenue, on money sent by her father, who wishes her to return to Germany. She will not do so, however, until her suit is decided.

ADDRESSED BY MRS. PLATT.

W. C. T. U. Holds an Interesting Afternoon Session. Mrs. Margaret B. Flatt, president of the District W. C. T. U., and a delegate to the recent national convention at St. Louis, gave an interesting account of the proceedings of that I ody before the meeting of the evangelical department of the District W. C. T. U. yesterday aftern on attheir headquarters, No. 910 F street.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. S.

quarters, No. 910 F street.

The meeting was conducted by Mrs. S. M. Hartsock, superintendent of evangelical work, and was opened with the usual song and prayer service. It was expected that Miss Jesses Ackerman, the around-the world W. C. T. U. missionary, would be present and give one of her interesting talks recounting her experiences and the results of her travels, but the audience was disappointed. Miss Ackerman, on account of filness, being unable to he present.

Mrs. Platt, however, at the request of the ladies, took her place and gave an

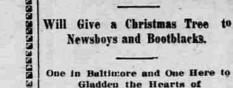
the ladies, took her place and gave an interesting description of some of the notable features of the national convention. In conclusion Mrs. Platt called attention to the fact that while the ranks of the W. C. T. U. were being constantly depleted by death and retirements. leath and retirement on account of old age. last year there was an increase of member ship of over 15.600

Washingtonians in New York,
Special to The Times.

New York, Dec. 2.—Manhattan, H. C.
Campbell, H. E. Seeley; Everett, P. P. Bellan,
C. E. Foster; Grand, W. A. Boyd; St. Dents,
W. F. Calwell, A. B. Brown; Imperial, S.
Cunningham and wife, G. W. Rouzer and
wife; A. R. Tingle; Grand Union, F. R.
Dennett, F. Wright; Sinchair, J. R. Moir;
Hoffman, E. W. Barrett; Union Square,
J. P. Connor; Stnart, E. Janson, B.
H. Steinnetz, Jr.; Holland, Miss Decker,
Mrs A. H. Lathrop, J. Croker, A. B. Loga t;
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Enterprise is a weak word to denote the etivity of the Salvation Army workers of the Washington corps. Already they have set their hearts on giving a Christmas tree and dinner to the newstoys and boot-blacks, and they have begun to lay deep schemes for the accomplishment of the

Youngsters.

Ensign Worthington, a comely salvation lassie, has charge of the project, and every other member of the corps has offered to put his or her shoulder to the work and make it a success. The salvationists had even schemed higger things. Before Staff Capt. Blanche Cox was transferred she had intended to see that a thousand boys and girls in Baltimore and over half as many here would have cause to remember Christ-

On Christmas day it was intended that

On Christmas day it was intended that the members of the Washingtonarmy would go over to the Monumental City and help their comrades in gladdening the hearts of the Baltimore lads, and the next day the Baltimoreans were to come to this city and help distribute joy and other good things among the urchins.

There is no certainty row that the comrades of each city will interchange help. Nevertheless there is going to be a Christmas tree here on the day tollowing Christmas tree here on the day tollowing Christmas that will make the eyes and mouths of the youngsters who see it open until they almost need the 26th of the month is chosen because of the fact that the youngsters may in one manner or arother get a treat in the day before, and it has been decided that the good things should be made to extend over as great a space of time as possible.

of time as possible.

The details of the arrangements are by The details of the arrangements are by no means complete. Usually, however, the conclusion of the salvationists to do a thing inseres its completion. The tree is to be erected in the army's ball, on the Avenne, between Sinth and Tenth streets. It is to be the biggest tree that can be wedged whole or in pieces through the door.

There is to be a dinner before the tree, then an effort will be made to stuff every oungster as full as a well-browned Thanks youngster as fall as a well-browned rhamss-giving turkey. There will be religious services, too, and then will follow the dazzing tree with all the appurtenances to convey every child in or under his teems into a fairy land of reflections for the balance of the year.

The contributions for the event are ex-

The contribations for the event are expected to come from those who have to give, the salvationists announce. Ensign Worthungton and her assistants will immediately begin to solicit for the function. And then, they say, they are going to have an ante-tree meeting. It is designed for those who will assist in the enterprise. There will be an admission account. enterprise. There will be an admission price of anything from one orange to a barrel of apples, or from a stuffed turkey to a new \$5 kill. This needing will be held a day or two before the tree is raised, and it is expected in this manner to secure the greater part of gifts that are to be istributed among the youngsters.
It is the first Christmas tree in the city coich the Salvation Army has eve

CAPT. COX TRANSFERRED.

Salvation Leader's Future Home Will Be at Worcester Members and friends of the Salvation Members and friends of the Salvation Army in this city are deeply interested in the successor of Staff Captain Blanche Cox, who, as already told in The Times, has been transferred to the New England States for future work. Miss Cox learned for the first time yesterday where her headquarters will be. She is to have charge of the Western Western Land Western Massachusetts division and will ake her home at Worcester. With this information the info

that his information to inference causes that her successor will be Adjutant Walder. He has been in charge of the division over which she is now to preside, and it is probable that the Salvationists will marely change places Admitant Walder is an change places. Adjutant Wander is an energetic and competent worker, who has seen long service in the army, and he is advanced and progressive in all his views. Though the actual territory covered by MissCox inhernew division's nuch smaller excellent health.

What she learned there of his relations with Miss Dudley she says caused ner to threaten to leave him, but a reconditation than the Washington district over which she has had control, the number of barracks vill be greater and the p embership larger The Western Massachusetts division in-cludes the following towns: Worcester, liciyoke, Mariboro, North Adams, Northamp on, Springfield, Westfield and Pittsfield. one week from next Sunday. Her successor will make his beadquarters in the same house she and her secretary, Miss Hill, have occupied, No. 229 R street, Eckington. She will conduct religious services in Baltimore next Sunday and the following Sunday will preside over a

the following Sunday will preside over a meeting in one of the Washington churches before leaving for the North, Sunday night. FEATHER WEARING IMMORAL.

Mrs. Harriet Blatch Wants Women to Give Up the Practice.

New York, Dec. 2.—Is the wearing of aigrettes and feathers immoral, either in a narrow or a broad sense?

Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton's daughter, Mrs. Harriet Blatch, gave it as her opinion that it is immoral before the Political Study

Club's meeting yesterday, and the women who listened to her shook their head, and incidentally their algrettes and feathers disapprovingly.

Arr. ma.ch wanted the women present

begive up the permittous and immoral give up the pernicions and immoral and of wearing aigrettes or osprey eathers in their hats. She described in seling terms the awful cruelties attending be obtaining of these feathers, and the suf ering of the tiny birdlets, deprived of a other's care, and said she thought any veman who were them was absolutely im-oral and had no right to inveigh against

moral and had no right to inveigh against the stronger sex.

The question of the bringing up of chil-dren was then broached.

"Mothers are not severe enough," said Mrs. Biatch, "or else they are entirely too severe. They do well enough while the children are babies, but when they begin to grow up the children simply walk all over their parents and are rule and im-pertment. I think they ought to be sent away to some one else to train. We have an immense amaint of beautiful sentimenense amount of beautiful sentimer

tality about the matter, but a great deal it is trash."
"I am sorry not to be able to agree with the daughter of my ideal woman," Dr. Huldah Gunn said, "Mothers were made to bring up their children; that's what they are for, and no one can do it as well." If they go to the kindergarten and school they'll get the necessary discipline," one remarked.

ly my mother's slipper," piped another voice. "The slippering didn't always come from the mothers," some one put in: "it wooften the old maid sunts who did that." Then the subject was dropped.

Pudd'ohead Has Friends.

Well, my memory of childhood is large-

Two large audiences saw "Pudd'nhead Wilson" at the New National Theater yes-terday, and the great American play was received with enthusiasm. It is a delightful entertainment, full of genuine humor and intensely dramatic incident. The company is one of the most evenly balanced ever seen in Washington. There will be a matinee on Saturday, and the engagement will close on Saturday, shall.
Those who enjoy a good wholesome play should avail themselves of the opportunity to see "Pudd'uhead Wilson"

Divorce Law Unconstitutional. Trenton, N. J., Dec. 2.—Justice Barka-Trenton, N. J., Dec. 2.—Justice Barka-low has filed an opinion in the court of errors and appeals declaring the divorce law of 1891 unconstitutional. The opinion states that a law permitting a limited divorce attended by special consequences with regard to property rights on the application of a person holding scruples against absolute divorce, and not otherwise, is contrary to the spirit of the constitution of the State and the United States.

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if the Harrison, returned as Mrs. Bane an hour later.

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ing been raised to the rank of brigadier general of the Illinois division of the army, and serving throughout the entire war. He lost his right arm at the battle

war. He lost his right arm at the battle of Shiloh. The wedding yesterday was a quiet af-

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